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Dear Commissioner:

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the reference(s) listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

On October 1, 2002, Cummins-Allison Corp., assignee of the present application, sued Glory Ltd., Glory Shoji Co. Ltd., and Glory (U.S.A.), Inc., in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Civil Action No. 02C-7008 (complaint listed as ref. M01) for infringement concerning U.S. Pat. No. 6,459,806. The documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are from this litigation. Accordingly, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(3)(i), the relevance of any non-English references on the attached Form PTO-1449 is that such references were identified by Glory in the above mentioned litigation.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed 01/27/2003 EAREGAY1 00000112 100447 09541170

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to be an admission that the information disclosed is, or is considered to be, prior art with respect to the present application or material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted after the mailing of the first Office Action reflecting an examination on the merits but before the mailing of a Final Rejection or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), a fee of \$180 is included herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to charge said amount to Jenkens & Gilchrist Account No. 10-0447/47171-00267USC1.

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